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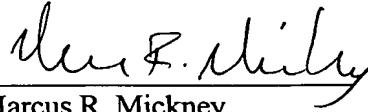
In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97 and § 1.98 and pursuant to a telephonic interview with Examiner Vu on January 19, 2006, Applicants bring the patents and publications listed on attached Form PTO-1449 to the Examiner's attention and request that they be considered and made of record in the subject application. Pursuant to the January 19, 2006 telephonic interview with Examiner Vu, the patents and publications listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 have been considered and will be entered and made of record in the above-identified patent application.

In accordance with the amendments to 37 C.F.R. §1.98(a) (revisions effective Oct. 21, 2004) and as discussed in the Official Gazette on Oct. 19, 2004 (1287 OG 163), copies of U.S. patents and published applications cited herein have been omitted.

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Prompt examination on the merits is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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